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REMARKS

Claims 14 and 28-37 are pending and under examination in the subject application. Applicants have hereinabove cancelled claim 31, and amended claims 14, 28, 29, 30 and 32. Accordingly, upon entry of this Amendment, claims 14, 28-30 and 32-37 will be pending and under examination.

In making these amendments, applicants neither concede the correctness of the Examiner's rejections in the February 17, 2005 Office Action, nor abandon the right to pursue in a continuing application embodiments of the instant invention no longer claimed in this application. Applicants maintain that these amendments to the claims do not raise any issue of new matter, and that these claims are fully supported by the specification as originally filed.

Entry of this Amendment is respectfully requested as it is believed to place the application in condition for allowance.

In view of the arguments set forth below, applicants maintain that the Examiner's rejection made in the February 17, 2005 Office Action has been overcome, and respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw same.

Rejection Under 35 U.S.C. §112, Second Paragraph

The Examiner rejected claims 14, and 28-37 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as allegedly indefinite for failing to point out and distinctly claim the subject

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matter which applicants regard as the invention.

In response to the Examiner's rejections, and without conceding the correctness thereof, applicants note that claim 31 has been cancelled, and that amended claims 14, 28, 29, 30 and 32 do not recite the language deemed objectionable by the Examiner.

In view of the above remarks, applicants maintain that claims 14, 28-30 and 32-37 satisfy the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph.

Summary

Applicants maintain that the claims pending are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, allowance is respectfully requested.

If a telephone conference would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone them at the number provided below.

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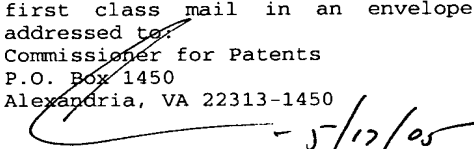
No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Amendment. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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